

## The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, for nearly a century, since 1909, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) has worked to advance the social, political and economic conditions of ethnic people of color; and

WHEREAS, since its inception, the NAACP has fought discrimination in the military, at the voting polls, and in public accommodations; and

WHEREAS, the NAACP is dedicated to the objective of securing full enjoyment of citizenship rights, justice in all courts, and equality of opportunity for all; and

WHEREAS, our nation has benefited from the NAACP's unwavering commitment to civil rights and the vision of a society free of injustice; and

WHEREAS, beginning in 1919, Idaho members of the NAACP have been dedicated to upholding these principles of the NAACP and have worked to achieve the objectives of justice and equality for all; and

WHEREAS, today, members of the Treasure Valley Branch of the NAACP are continuing in their efforts to end discrimination and to ensure equal opportunity for all the citizens of our State; and

WHEREAS, The State of Idaho and all its Citizens have benefited from the dedication to these principles on the part of members of the Treasure Valley Branch of the NAACP and from their unwavering commitment to these goals;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim October 9, 2004, to be

## TREASURE VALLEY BRANCH OF THE NAACP DAY

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this twenty-second day of September in the year of our Lord two-thousand and four and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-ninth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fifteenth.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE GOVERNOR

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